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Sir:

## **REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111**

	In response to the Official Action dated July 21, 2004, reconsideration is respectfully		
requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:			
		Amendments to the Specification begin on page	of this paper.
		Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the begins on page of this paper.	listing of the claims which
		Amendments to the Drawings begin on page an attached replacement sheet.	of this paper and include
	$\boxtimes$	Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.	